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FRILLED TYPE TUBEROUS BEGONIA

POMPON DAHLIAS

The flowers of the Pompon Dahlias are very tiny, being from 1 to 2 inches in diameter, and are of the ball type. They are very free blooming, a single bush blooming for several months, producing hundreds of flowers.
Each 25c; 10 for $2.00.

Dark Eye—Cream, lavender center.

Girlie—Beautiful pure rosy lilac.

Darkest of All—One of the most unusual of the Pompons—rich maroon.

Achilles—Pale pink.

Amber Queen—Amber.

Snow Clad—White.

Little David—Deep orange.

Mary Mums—Dark orchid.

Vivid—Scarlet.

Prince Charming—Cream, tipped dark purple.

All Bright—Gold, tipped red.

Ideal—Bright yellow.

Glow—Light old rose shading to coral.

MINIATURE DAHLIAS

The Miniatures are similar in form to large Dahlias but are from 2½ to 3½ inches in diameter.

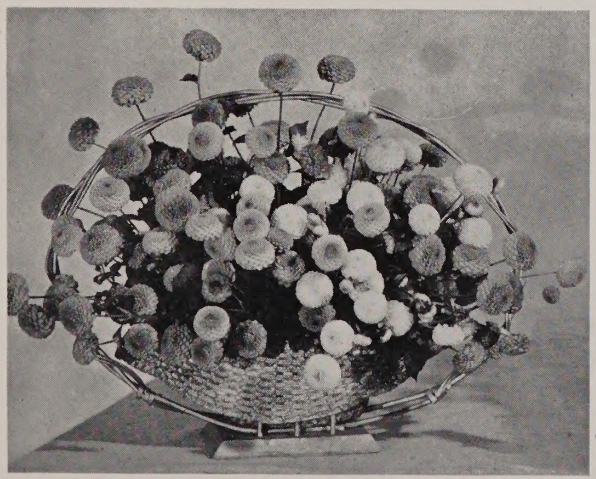
Snowdrift—White Cactus Miniature. **Each 35c.**

Rapello—Beautiful maroon tipped with gold. **Each 30c.**

Baby Royal—Beautiful russet-orange cactus miniature from England; a prolific bloomer. **Each 30c.**

Elizabeth Pape — Lovely salmon pink, cactus type. **Each 30c.**

Red Sea — Very fine geranium red; always in bloom. **Each 30c.**



A BASKET OF POMPON DAHLIAS

TUBEROUS ROOTED BEGONIAS

This lovely type of Begonia with its large and exquisite blooms is becoming more popular each year. It grows and blooms in shady places, under trees, in beds, in porch boxes, or tubs, in places where other flowers will not thrive. Our stock was secured from the Vetterle & Reinelt Hybridizing Gardens, whose Begonia Exhibits received the Gold Medal at the Golden Gate Exposition.

All types come in white, pink, rose, yellow, orange, scarlet and dark red.

GIANT SINGLE TYPE—The flowers of this type are enormous, sometimes reaching a size of from 8 to 12 inches in diameter. It is fine for use in tubs or for bedding.

SINGLE FRILLED TYPE (CRISPA)—The large individual flowers are beautifully ruffled and frilled.

CRESTED TYPE (CRISTATA)—A beautiful show type, the plants being covered with masses of flowers having a crested formation on each petal.

DOUBLE CAMELLIA TYPE—This is the most popular double type, having very large double flowers resembling a camellia or rose.
All types—large size tubers 25c each; per dozen $2.50.

MIXED DOUBLE TYPES—We have other Begonias in the Mixed Doubles in separate colors, the tubers not quite so large as those above, priced at **15c each, $1.50 per dozen.**

GLADIOLUS

Out of a long list of these popular summer flowering bulbs, we have chosen 12 of the most outstanding varieties, These varieties were given a very high rating last season by the New England Gladiolus Society and we know you will be very proud to have any or all of them blooming in your garden, to cut for bouquets, or to enter in flower shows. The bulbs are all top size and are priced by the dozen. You may order six at the dozen rate and 100 at seven times the dozen rate.

ROSEMARIE PFITZER—A favorite exhibition variety. Cream white often flecked or shaded with pink. **Per dozen, 80c.**

J. S. BACH—Salmon with white midrib. A wonderful exhibition variety and one of the largest of the early blooming Gladiolus. **Per dozen, 80c.**

MOORISH KING—Extremely large, beautiful deep velvety red. Flowers are unusually well placed. Blooms late. **Per dozen, $1.00.**

SHIRLEY TEMPLE—Creamy white with a darker throat. Individual florets over 6 inches across. Splendid grower. **Per dozen, 90c.**

GATE OF HEAVEN—Beautiful deep yellow with greenish yellow buds. Medium height. A delightful glad. **Per dozen, 65c.**

STAR OF BETHLEHEM—Large fine white, 5 feet tall. **Per dozen, 60c.**

GOLDEN DREAM—A tall, strong grower of clear, deep yellow. **Per dozen, 40c.**

PICARDY—This is the most popular variety grown at the present time. The color is a beautiful flesh pink, with many large blooms open at one time. **Per dozen, 55c.**

DUNA—Soft pinkish buff, very unusual and very beautiful. **Per dozen, 50c.**

MINUET—The most popular of the lavenders. **Per dozen, 55c.**

PELEGRINA—A most unusual flower of deep violet-blue, the best known and most popular in its color class. **Per dozen, 55c.**

MOTHER MACHREE—A beautiful golden lavender, smoky. **Per dozen, 55c.**

WILSHIRE GARDENS' SPECIAL ASSORTMENT—These are top size bulbs, hand picked from very fine named varieties, all colors and shades. **30 bulbs for $1.00.**

WILSHIRE GARDENS' MIXTURE—Bulbs not quite so large but will produce fine flowers over a long flowering season. **50 bulbs for $1.00.**

WILSON'S IMPROVED TIGRIDIAS

The gorgeous Tigridia is a tropical flower originally from Mexico and South America. It has three silken petals richly colored scarlet, rose, yellow, orange or white surrounding a deep cup usually spotted maroon or blood red. Each bulb develops several clusters of long green buds which open into blossoms 5 to 6 inches in diameter. Each blossom opens in the early morning with the rising of the sun and with the sunset its life is ended, but the next day another blossom opens to take its place. Each Tigridia bulb has more blooms than any other known bulbous plant.

AZTEC CHIEF—Blazing scarlet petals with deep red spots in cup.
Each 13c; six for 70c; per dozen, $1.30.

GYPSY MAID—Clear, shining yellow petals with maroon spotted centers.
Each 13c; six for 70c; per dozen, $1.30.

SUNSET GLOW—Petals almost orange in color, with streaks of scarlet from the cup to the edge of the petals. **Each 13c; six for 70c; per dozen, $1.30.**

ROSE KING—Petals of fascinating rose color, white cup with wine-red spots.
Each 15c; six for 75c; per dozen $1.50.

VAGABOND PRINCE—Pure white petals with an immense cup filled with maroon spots. Giant blossoms. **Each 15c; six for 75c; per dozen $1.50.**

BUCCANEER—Flashing scarlet petals, deep orange cup filled with maroon spots.
Each 15c; six for 75c; per dozen $1.50.

SCARLET GIANT—This is the rarest and most beautiful of the entire Tigridia family. The blossoms are immense with scarlet petals surrounding a cup of deep orange entirely without spots. **Each 25c; six for $1.25; per dozen, $2.50.**

CANARY QUEEN—Petals of soft chrome yellow, silken white cup, with the faintest of spots. It sometimes has extra petals so that it appears to be almost double.
Each 25c; six for $1.25; per dozen $2.50.

MIXED TIGRIDIAS—We have other mixed Tigridias which are priced at **$1.00 per doz.**

GIANT MONTBRETIAS

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These are the new hybrid Montbretias imported from England, which, with proper soil and good culture, will reach a height of 4 feet with flowers between 2 and 3 inches in diameter. These should be planted early in a richer soil than required for the old, small flowered Montbretia.

CECIL—Buff-yellow, with apricot eye.....**Each 20c; per dozen $2.00**

LORD LAMBOURNE—A deep shade of bronzy-orange-scarlet.
Each 20c; per dozen $2.00

SIR A. M. WILSON—A uniform shade of crimson, graceful stems.
Each 20c; per dozen $2.00

HIS MAJESTY—Coppery-orange blossoms on four-foot stems.
Each 10c; per dozen $1.00

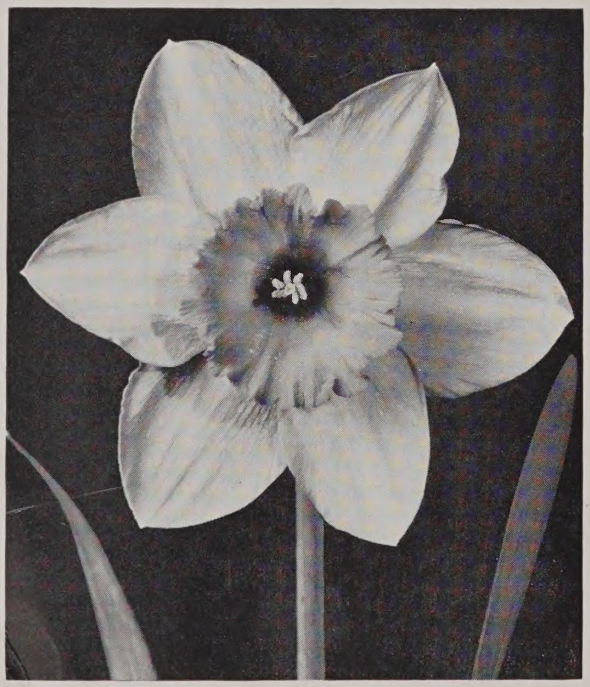
SPECIAL DISCOUNT

On orders amounting to $5.00 or more we will add extra bulbs of the same or another variety to the amount of 10% of the value of your order.

Terms: Cash with order or C.O.D.

Because of packing and mailing costs we are asking that your orders be for not less than $1.00, cash with order or C.O.D.

Washington customers please add 2% sales tax.



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OUR FALL BULB CATALOG

In August we will be mailing out our illustrated catalog of Daffodils, Tulips, Iris, Crocuses, Ornithogalum, Muscari, Lilies, and other spring flowering bulbs. Our gardens are located in Grays Harbor County, where we have a mild climate with abundance of rain during the growing season, a climate almost identical with that of Holland.

We are justly proud of the bulbs we raise. They are as fine bulbs as can be grown anywhere. Many people call this district "The Holland of America" and are looking to us for their bulb supply.

You will be pleased with our fall bulb catalog. If you wish to have your name on our mailing list, or, if you are already receiving our catalogs, kindly make a note of the fact on your order or send a card to us very soon, that we may reserve one for you. Please include the names of your gardening friends who are interested, so we may send them catalogs, too.

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